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SUBJECT: NBC PROGRAM ON LAOS

1. NATIONAL BROADCASTING CO WASHINGTON OFFICE INFORMED US CREW OF FIVE PERSONS ARRIVING VIENTIANE FEBRUARY 11 FOR ABOUT A MONTH TO PRODUCE PROGRAM ON THEME OF 'PEACE IN LAOS.' PROGRAM IS SEQUEL TO 1972 PROGRAM IN WHICH THEY FILMED FIGHTING IN LONG TIENG, INTERVIEWED SOUVANNA, AND RECEIVED CONSIDERABLE ASSISTANCE FROM MISSION.

2. CREW HEADED BY PRODUCER ROBERT ROGERS INCLUDES RE-SEARCHER RHONDA KOMPANETZ, BUSINESS MANAGER CARL ROBINSON, AND CAMERA AND SOUND MAN.

3. THEY HAVE MADE OWN ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRAVEL AND LODGING BUT QUERIED ABOUT POSSIBILITY CHARTERING AIRCRAFT IN LAOS AS THEY HAD DONE THREE YEARS AGO. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION ON CHARTER AVAILABILITY WHICH CAN BE PASSED TO THEM BEFORE THEY DEPART WASHINGTON FEBRUARY 7.

4. WILL POUCH TEARE COPY OF 1972 SCRIPT AND COMPLIMENTARY LETTER ON PROGRAM FROM THEN DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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